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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED

Sir:

This letter is in response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed on March 22, 2002 which indicated that the signatures of the inventors on the Declaration for the subject patent application are missing. A copy of "The Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" is enclosed.

Enclosed please find a Declaration and Power of Attorney for the subject patent application which has been fully executed by the inventors of the subject patent application in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63.

Please charge the \$130.00 surcharge for late filing of the fully executed declaration.

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Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time for response from the date of the Examiner's action as needed, the fee being as follows:

()	one month extension	\$ 110.00
()	two months extension	\$ 400.00
(x)	three months extension	\$ 920.00
$\dot{}$	four months extension	\$1,440.00
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Basic Filing fee	\$740.00
Total Claims 47 - 20 = 27 x \$18	\$486.00
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Multiple Dependent Claim present. \$280	\$280.00

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Please charge any additional requisite fees for filing the enclosed Declaration and Power of Attorney or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 19-2570. A copy of this form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37) CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$766.
 - \$486 for 27 total claims over 20.
 - \$280 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1636.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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